

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q80674

Kiyoaki EGAWA

Appln. No.: 10/809,364

Group Art Unit: 3652

Confirmation No.: 7561

Examiner: Micheal S. LOWE

Filed: March 26, 2004

For: STORAGE MEDIUM TRANSPORTING APPARATUS WITH AN IMPROVED
TRANSMISSION MECHANISM FOR DRIVING A PICKER

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated August 12, 2008, to February 12, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$1110.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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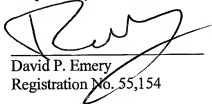
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Respectfully submitted,



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